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BOX PATENT APPLICATION  
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Application of Kazuhiro TSUJITA, Toshitaka AGANO, Kazuo HAKAMATA,  
Katsumi HAYASHI and Tomonari SENDAI  
METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DISPLAYING FLUORESCENCE IMAGES AND  
METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ACQUIRING ENDOSCOPE IMAGES  
Our Ref. Q61243

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above including fifty-one (51) sheets of the specification (Japanese language), including the claims and abstract, eighteen (18) sheets of drawings, executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. The verified English language translation of the application will be submitted at a later date.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	32	-	20	=	12	x	\$18.00	=	\$216.00
Independent claims	1	-	3	=		x	\$80.00	=	\$0.00
Base Fee									\$710.00
<b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b>									<b>\$926.00</b>
Recordation of Assignment									\$40.00
<b>TOTAL FEE</b>									<b>\$966.00</b>

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$926.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from January 13, 2000, February 18, 2000, and September 29, 2000, based on JP Application Nos. 004939/2000, 041777/2000, and 299397/2000, respectively. The priority documents will be filed at a later date.

Respectfully submitted,  
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